



PATENT APPLICATION

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In Re Application Of)
Ye Wang) Group A.U.: 2655
Serial No.: 09/770,113) Examiner: J. Jackson
Filed: January 24, 2001) Attorney Docket No. 004770.00012
For: System and Method for Concealment of)
Data Loss in Digital Audio Transmission)

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AMENDMENT

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Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

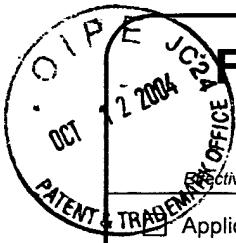
Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 15 of this paper.

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)
1001	790	2001	395
1002	350	2002	175
1003	550	2003	275
1004	790	2004	395
1005	160	2005	80
SUBTOTAL (1)		(\$ 0	

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
42	-20 **	= 22	X 18 = 396
Independent Claims	2	-3 **	= 0 X 0 = 0
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1202	18	2202	9
1201	88	2201	44
1203	300	2203	150
1204	88	2204	44
1205	18	2205	9
SUBTOTAL (2)		(\$ 396	

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Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)
1051	130	2051	65
1052	50	2052	25
1053	130	1053	130
1812	2,520	1812	2,520
1804	920*	1804	920*
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*
1251	110	2251	55
1252	430	2252	215
1253	980	2253	490
1254	1,530	2254	765
1255	2,080	2255	1,040
1401	340	2401	170
1402	340	2402	170
1403	300	2403	150
1451	1,510	1451	1,510
1452	110	2452	55
1453	1,370	2453	685
1501	1,370	2501	685
1502	490	2502	245
1503	660	2503	330
1460	130	1460	130
1807	50	1807	50
1806	180	1806	180
8021	40	8021	40
1809	790	2809	395
1810	790	2810	395
1801	790	2801	395
1802	900	1802	900
Other fee (specify) _____		SUBTOTAL (3)	

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